



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Park et al.
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Title : PLASTIC WOOD FIBER FOAM STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF
PRODUCING SAME
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Examiner : Allan R. Kuhns

Docket No.: 13842

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENT RESPONSE TO INITIAL OFFICE ACTION

The applicants have been recently made aware of a possible pending application in the United States based upon a priority application 60/286,848 filed April 26, 2001 which is the subject of WO Publication WO 02/088233. Applicants believe the Examiner should be aware of this possible pending application, however, do not admit on the record, at present, that this application or any pending application relating to the WO Publication constitutes prior art with respect to the present application for patent and especially with respect to the claimed invention.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, it would be appreciated if the Examiner would contact the undersigned attorney-of-record at the telephone number shown below.

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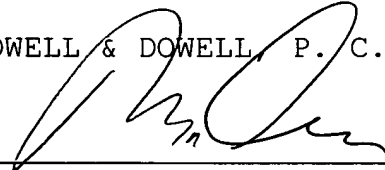
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